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DUES: If you have notyet paid your dues, please send in the 'Dues REnewal Notice' sent out last month, or just send \$7.50 for your 1987 dues to our Membership Chairman -Don Robb, P. O. Box 724, Waterloo, Ontario N2J 4C2 Canada. Please make cheques or money orders payable to CAWMC. Thank you.

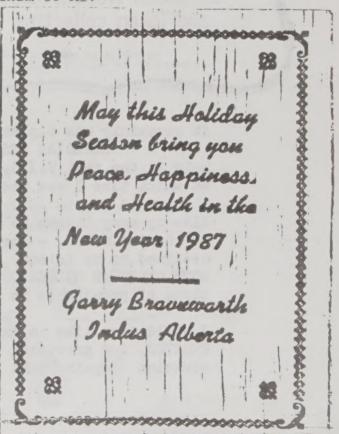
CALL FOR CAWMC MAIL AUCTION OF WOOD: Our Auction Coordinator, Al Munro, Box 2643 -Stn. 'M', Calgary, Alberta T2P 3C1 Canada advises that he will be conducting another donation/consignment auction. He is now requesting that lots be sent to him. Please indicate clearly which wood is donated and which is on consignment. Wells' numbers are very helpful, but not essential. Lots are to be received by Al prior to March 13, 1985 to allow for cataloguing and their publication, hopefully for the April Timber Talk. If wood is to sell together, please indicate this. Remember that the better wood sells best. Consignment fee is only 10% and there is no 'buyer's fee.' All profits go into our treasury and help keep membership dues down. (Our last increase was January 1984.) Why not get a few of your duplicates out today and send them to Al?

FREE WOOD OF THE MONTH:

Compliments of your Editor. 250 were ordered from John Lawrence.

Thanks to Basil Latham and to Walter Loudon for their wood donations for future issues of Timber Talk.





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Canadian Association of Wooden Money
Collectors

NORMAN E. WELLS

HONOURARY LIFE MEMBER C17.

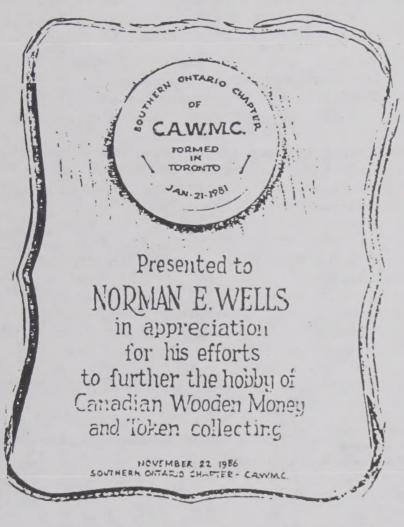
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THANKS

TO ALL!

(Plaque shown below - Actual Size Approx. 82" X 112")





It certainly was a pleasure to attend the recent meeting of the "CANADIAN ASSOC. of WOODEN MONEY COLLECTORS"
held at the fall T.I.C.F. Coin Show, Saturday Nov. 22nd, 1986 at which time I was presented with an - HONOURARY LIFE MEMBERSHIP -

Also my many thanks to the members of the "SOUTHERN ONTARIO CHAPTER" of the C.A.W.M.C. - for the above - Unique and Artistic - WOODEN PLAQUE, designed by my friend "Donald D. Paterson" designer of the - CALGARY 1975 CANADIAN SILVER DOLLAR - The above Plaque will certainly find a place of prominance in my Trophy Room.

I would also like to extend thanks to our HOST of the T.I.C.F. JOHN REGITCO, for providing Coffee and the meeting room for this momentous occasion - again THANK YOU ALL.

Very BEST WISHES lamante. WELLS - F.C.N.R.S.

An article submitted by our President, Norm Belsten:

NEW WOOD SUPPLEMENT

The new supplement will be going to press in January 1987 at a cost of \$9.00 per copy, plus postage, and will be printed by order only. With each order you will recieve a specical wood and a personal number for your book.

After February the price will increase, and there will be a second printing when enough new orders are recieved.

The supplement will be laid out so that you can add or replace any page, and can be updated every year without replacing the whole book.

We are working on updating the complete catalogue in the new format, so if you have any woods that our not listed, send a wood or clear photo copy to HOWARD RICHARDSON Or if a listing is incorrect please send the correct information. If you are ordering wood from Jim Deluney he will only send information to me if YOU tell him to when you order.

The information we would like is as follows;

Who issued it, where it was issued, obv. color, rev. color, how many issued, and when issued.

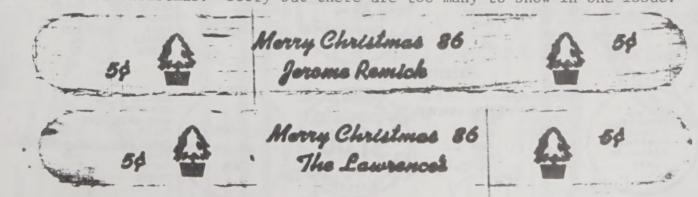
REMEMBER IT'S YOUR CATALOGUE NOT MINE.

Send Information and orders to

HOWARD RICHARDSON, 22 SOPHIA DRIVE, SCARBOROUGH, ONT. CANADA M1H 1Z4

EDITOR'S COMMENT: Let's keep our hobby going and growing. Please support Howard.

CHRISTMAS WOOD: In this and future issues of <u>Timber Talk</u> we will be showing the wood received for Christmas. Sorry but there are too many to show in one issue.



The next page is a sample from the new supplement. (Ed.)



AC0900- 1 BATHURST G. RODGER. CENTRE CHALEUR COLOR OBV. GREEN COLOR REV. GREEN YEAR 1985

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ISSUED

TREND



1984 MERRY CHRISTMAS HAPPY NEW YEAR ROGER DIXON CAWMC No 258 APNA NO \$23 FMS No 15

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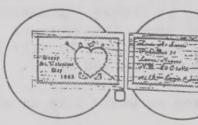
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AC1200-56 FREDERICTON I.GRAHAM FINANCE OFFICER COLOR OBV. BLACK COLOR REV. WHITE YEAR 1985 ISSUED TREND R2





LOWER NEGUAC L.SAVOIE VALENTINE 86 COLOR OBV. MULTI COLOR REV. MULTI YEAR 1986 ISSUED TREND R1





3300-60 AC1200-57 FREDERICTON M. & G. RODGER, 40th ANNIV COLOR OBV. RED COLOR REV. RED YEAR 1985 ISSUED 200 TREND R1





AC 3350-42 MONCTON KING SPORT LTD. COLOR OBV. BLACK COLOR REV. BLACK YEAR 1986 ISSUED R1 TREND

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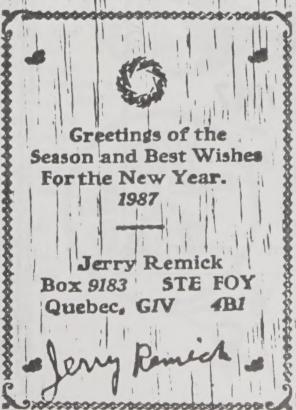
Well another T.I.C.F. WOODEN MONEY meeting is over and the attendance as usual was great. The gathering of woodies featured Norm Wells as the guest of honor and the S.O.C. of C.A.W.M.C. presented him with a plaque, while C.A.W.M.C. made him an honorary life member, for his many contributions to the wooden money hobby, one of them being his publishing of the catalogue and supplements. I know he has spent many hours cataloguing and researching woods over the years, and we hope he will continue to remain active in the hobby. Some of you new members may not know that Norm has also written books on several other numismatic subjects besides wood, and is currently doing research on yacht clubs in the Toronto area, and we wish him success in all his endeavours. unfortunately one of our other elder statesmen in the hobby, John Curtis had a heart attack a few days before the meeting, however he is home recuperating now, and we wish him a speedy recovery.

Norman Belsten
President C.A.W.M.C.

LET'S TRADE: Don Robb of P. O. Box 724, WAterloo, Ontario N2J 4C2 Canada wants to trade Spruce Dollars. Available for trade he has (Wells' Catalogue #'s): 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 8, 10, 17, 18, 19, 22, 25, 32, 33 and 47-134 except 48, 51, 52, 54, 57, 65, and 91. Don needs the following for his collection: 6, 9, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 21, 24, 26, 29, 30, 34, 35, 36, 37, 39, 40 and 41. LET'S MAKE A DEAL!

CHRISTMAS WOOD: Jerry Remick of Box 9183 Ste Foy, Quebec, Canada G1V 4B1 has issued two 1986 Christmas flats showing different reproductions of the Renaissance art works, a round wood with his photo and signature, and a wood stick - all with Christmas 1986 theme. The wood flats are 50¢ each. The stick and rounds are free. Postage is 50¢ per order. John Lawrence of 25 North Wayne Avenue, West Haverstraw New York U.S.A. 10993 made 50 of each type of flat and 50 sticks.



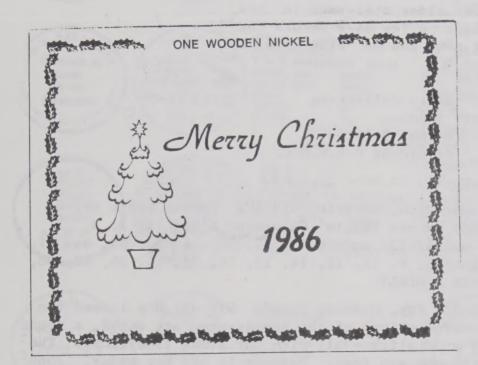




MORE CHRISTMAS WOOD:











MERRY CHRISTMAS ANN BAXTER 1986



Bringing you every
wish for happiness
this Christmas and in
the coming
New Year 1987

Don Robb
Waterloo Ontario

THE JEAN LAFITTE/WHOOPING CRANE COIN WEEK OCHO REAL

A Frenchman named Jean Lafitte migrated from Quebec to New Orleans to become America's most celebrated pirate in the early 1800's. From his headquarters on Barataria Bay in Mississippi Delta he preyed on mostly Spanish vessels in the Gulf of Mexico. Smuggling in those days was considered a very venial sin, if a sin at all. Merchants sold slaves for \$170.00 each and auctioned ill begotten treasures from the market place on Bourbon street.

When General Andrew Jackson arrived in New Orleans to fight the British in the war of 1812 he discovered he was short of manpower. He met both Jean and Pierre Lafitte and was impressed with their combat readiness. He immediately solicited their support. It was with the assistance of these freebooters and swashbucklers that Jackson soundly defeated the British. All of the pirates who served with Jackson on this mission were granted presidential pardons.

Even so, the "Robinhood of the Sea" was not content with his life as a blacksmith and with his "Jolly Rogers" flag flying at the masthead he headed for Galveston and the Texas Coastal Bend. From the estuaries bounded by Matagorda Island and Aransas and St. Charles Bays, Lafitte continued to raid the Spanish Galleons laden with precious metals. It was here that he and his men repaired their vessels, took on provisions and between engagements enjoyed rest and recreation.

In 1821 pirating became such a dangerous profession, he assembled his fleet off San Antonio Bay, announced his retirement, divided the spoils and disbanded. Lafitte's share of the loot was so great that it took several days for his superb yawl to move his ocho reales and rare artifacts to an unknown spot off St. Charles Bay.

It is in this exact location that the U. S. Government now maintains the ARANSAS WILDLIFE REFUGE. It is in this same refuge that the famous and endangered WHOOPING CRANES make their winter home. From the tower on the refuge, tourists appear to be searching the landscape for the world's tallest birds, when in fact, they may be using the powerful built-in telescopes to search the by-ways for some semblance of Lafitte's buried treasure.

The "Red Tide" that just washed into the Coastal Bend, killing millions of fish, was caused by some blood red microscopic organism, the orgin of which still remains a mystery. There is no scientific data that this cyclical phenomenon could have been initiated by a bloodbath that must have occurred between the seven foot canibalistic Karankawa Indians and the killer Lafistist pirates. History is written that both these Indians and Pirates disappeared at the same time, at the same place and for the same reason.

he 1987 Lafitte/Whooping Crane wooden Ocho reales", are being distributed during coin week from the Sparkling City by the Sea by the author:

Glen Littrell, 5806 Limerick St. Corpus Christi, Tx 78413



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Canadian Woods For Sale (All lots contain some unofficial issues)

160 Different	\$47.50	Quebec, 11 Different	\$4.75		
100 Different		Maritimes, 14 Different	5.75		
Alberta, 29 Different	12.75	Saskatchewan, 35 Different	14.75		
British Columbia, 16 Different		Ontario, 50 Different	19.75		
Manitoba, 8 Different 3.25					

These lots are terrific Starter Sets, and also good for trading material!

Woods Auction, Deadline January 31, 1987 (or 3 weeks after receipt of issue)

Lot #	Prov.	Wells #	Description
1.	BC	9300-1	(Colwood) Goldstream Rentals (little weak printing).
2.	BC	9400-2	Kamloops, Interior Coins, Good For 5¢ Trade.
3.	BC	9420-2	Lac La Hache, Twilight Lodge, Good For 5¢.
4.	BC	9420-3	Lac La Hache, Twilight Lodge, Good For \$1.00.
5.	BC	???	North Vancouver, Hobbit House Rest., Canyon House Gifts.
6.	BC	9680-1	(Richmond) Brighouse Shell Wooden Nickel.
7.	BC	9680-2	(Richmond) Crestwood Shell Wooden Nickel.
8.	BC	9735-1	(Surrey) Don-Ald Surrey Home Service (a little dirty).
9.	BC	9800-4	(Vancouver) The Book Finder, 5¢ in Trade.
10.	BC	9800-32	(Vancouver) Don Simpson at Brown Bros.
11.	BC	9800-35d	(Vancouver) Air Equipment Service Ltd, Truck Loggers, no room No.
12.	BC	9830-2c	Vernon, Pioneer Sash & Door Co. Ltd., Worth 50t.
13.	BC	9900-1	Yale, Gold Nugget Motel, Cup Coffee.
14.	Man	6600-1	Swan River, Agricultural Fair (1961) Buck.
15.	NB	3400-4	Newcastle, Miramichi Coin Club (1974) 25¢, red.
16.	NS	2450-2	(Halifax) G, Good For 5¢, Gottingen Street.
17.	NS	2450-4b	Halifax Coin Club, 5 Cents 1965, blue.
18.	NS	2700-25	(Spryfield) Nelson C. Boltz 1963, red.
19.	NS	2700-2c	(Spryfield) Nelson C. Boltz 1964, green.
20.	NS	2700-2d	(Spryfield) Nelson C. Boltz 1965, blue.
21.	Ont	5495-2	Lindsay, Kinsmen Carnival 1956, black.
22.	Ont	5645-1a	Orangeville, 1863-1963 Wooden Nickel, black, red number.

All lots above are originals as far as we can honestly determine and all have a money-back guarantee as to authenticity. Please bid with confidence. We collect Canadian 1967 woods and would like to trade for any we need, but cash offers will always be considered. In the case of tie bids, the earliest postmark takes the piece. Thank you and Good Luck!

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